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Applicant : Edward A. Rhad et al. Filed : 12/12/2001  
TC/A.U. : 3736 Examiner : J. Forman  
Docket No. : END-795 Customer No. : 000027777

Title : **AN MRI COMPTAIBLE BIOPSY DEVICE HAVING A  
TIP WHICH LEAVES AN ARTIFACT**

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**RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION OF July 10, 2003**

Dear Sirs:

**Two Month Extension of Time:**

The commissioner is hereby petitioned for a two month extension of time. Please charge the fee of \$420 and any other necessary fee to preserve pendency of this application to Deposit Account 10-0750/GSG/END 795.

In response to the Office action of July 10, 2003, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 4 of this paper.

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